

David C. Dickson Home
Anderson, Grimes County, Texas

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Owner Dickson heirs.

Date of Erection 1848

Architect Unknown

Builder David Dickson, Lt. Governor of Texas 1855.

Number of Stories Two

Present Condition Fair

Materials of Construction Frame with rock chimney

Additional Data David C. Dickson was the first Rep. in Grimes County to serve in the house. He ran for Governor on the "No Nothing" ticket but was defeated. However, he became Lt. Governor in 1853-55. While he remained a political leader until his death he never won the office he desired, the Governorship of Texas. His old home in Anderson still remains in the family and is occupied today by one of his grandsons.